

Brownfields Redevelopment: Focus New Hampshire

Tuesday, November 16, 2004 Registration: 8:30-9:00 a.m. Radisson Hotel Manchester, 700 Elm Street, Manchester, New Hampshire

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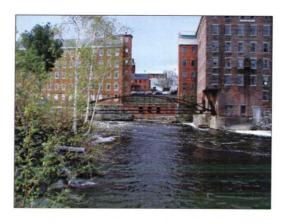


Focus New Hampshire

Contaminated lands can rob a community of its economic potential. Hundreds of New Hampshire properties are abandoned because owners or developers fear environmental contamination and the associated liability. Called Brownfields, these properties are often unused while development consumes valuable open space. Smart investments lead to smart growth decisions. New partnerships are emerging among government agencies and private investors to restore and reuse these parcels.

Up to \$250 million annually in federal funds is authorized for Brownfields grants. New Hampshire's Brownfields program encourages both environmental cleanup and redevelopment through its "Covenant Not to Sue" program and the State Revolving Loan Fund.

This education and networking event will bring together members of the New Hampshire community actively involved in Brownfields initiatives, including regula-



tors, municipalities, developers, non-profit organizations, attorneys and consultants.

- Discuss real-life success stories and lessons learned
- Navigate funding issues
- Discover how to make the most of opportunities in New Hampshire
- Focus on the unique New Hampshire perspective
- Examine both the "big picture" view and site specific details

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Keynote Speakers: Robert W. Varney, USEPA and Frederick J. McGarry, NHDES

Robert W. Varney was appointed Regional Administrator for the EPA's New England Office in August 2001. During his tenure as Regional Administrator, Mr. Varney has made energy efficiency, Brownfields redevelopment, environmental justice, clean boating, urban issues, enforcement and strong partnerships with state and municipal governments among his top priorities.

Frederick J. McGarry, P.E., DEE is
Assistant Director of the Waste
Management Division and Chief Engineer
of Site Remediation Programs at NHDES.
He has been with NHDES since 1995.
Prior to joining NHDES, he spent nearly 25
years in engineering consulting, working
for many municipalities throughout New
Hampshire.

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Community Members

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Consultants

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Focus New Hampshire Agenda Mark Your **General Information** Calendar-Cost(s): 8:30-9:00 Registration November 16 Municipality \$55 9:00-9:10 Introduction—ACEC-NH ACEC Member \$75 Other \$95 9:10-9:35 Keynote Speaker Frederick McGarry, NHDES-WMD Assistant Director Location. Radisson Hotel Manchester 9:35-11:15 Federal, State and Local Brownfields Program Overview 700 Elm Street Manchester, NH USEPA - New England Brownfields Team (603) 625-1000 NHDES - Mike Wimsatt General Information. Seating is limited. NHDES - Gary Lynn Registration will be accepted on a first-come, Coffee Break first-serve basis. Attendees will receive a conference Southwest Region Planning Commission program, refreshment breaks, and buffet lunch. Government Program Panel Q&A No refunds for cancellations. 11:15-11:35 A Lawyer's Perspective on Brownfields Redevelopment Tom Burack Special Arrangements. Please contact us if you Lunch 11:35-12:45 require arrangements for handicap facilities, equip-12:00-12:30 Keynote Speaker ment or dietary concerns. Robert Varney, USEPA—New England Administrator Facility. This meeting is 12:45-2:00 **Municipality Panel Discussion** being held in a fully accessible facility. Should Moderator, Mike Wimsatt you have specific needs or Nashua - Kathy Hirsch questions about the facility or transportation, please Concord - Matthew Walsh contact The Radisson Hotel at (603) 625-1000. Newmarket - Al Dixon Parking. Discounted Keene - TBD Indoor parking available for \$1.00. Municipality Panel Q&A Professional Develop-2:00-2:15 Coffee Break ment Hours (PDHs). 5.0 PDHs to be awarded. 2:15-3:30 **Developer Panel Discussion** Who should attend? Moderator, Tom Burack Municipalities Chinburg Builders, Inc. - Eric Chinburg Developers McGinley Development, Inc. - Mike McGinley

Capital Regional Development Council—Peter Phipps

Smith Jackson, LLC - Dean Jackson

Closing Remarks—ACEC-NH

Developer Panel Q&A

3:30-3:45

REGISTRATION **Brownfields Redevelopment: Focus New Hampshire** Name: (please print clearly) Company: Business Address: Home Address: Business Phone: Business Fax: E-mail: Check One: Registration fee includes conference program refreshments, buffet lunch and discounted parking. Are you seeking PDH's? ☐ Municipal (\$55) □ ACEC Member (\$75) □ Yes □ No □ Other (\$95) Please make checks payable to ACEC-NH and submit to Beth Kelley, c/o Bouley Associates, 6 Dixon Avenue, Concord, New Hampshire 03301. E-mail: bkelley@bouleyassoc.com

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